

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR
THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA
NORTHERN DIVISION

L. JOE PITTS, as Administrator of the)	
Estate of Sandra Ann Spencer Pitts,)	
Deceased,)	
)	
Plaintiff,)	
)	
v.)	CASE NO. 2:06-cv-1008-MEF
)	
BRIDGESTONE AMERICAS HOLDING,)	
INC., <i>et al.</i> ,)	
)	
Defendants.)	

ORDER

Upon consideration of the Motion for Setting of Pro Ami Hearing (Doc. # 26) filed on July 13, 2007, it is hereby ORDERED as follows:

1. The Motion for Setting of Pro Ami Hearing (Doc. # 26) is GRANTED.
2. The parties are DIRECTED to appear on August 30, 2007, at 10:00 a.m. in the United States Courthouse, One Church Street, Courtroom 2A, Montgomery, Alabama, for a *pro ami* fairness hearing.
3. Benjamin J. Espy of the law firm of Melton, Espy & Williams, P.C. of Montgomery, Alabama, is appointed *guardian ad litem* to represent and defend the interest of the minor plaintiff in these proceedings.
- 4 Mr. Espy is DIRECTED to appear on August 30, 2007 at 9:30 a.m. in the Chambers of the undersigned.

5. In preparation for the *pro ami* fairness hearing, the parties should prepare the following documents: a *Pro Ami* Settlement Agreement, a Joint Stipulation of Dismissal for the claims of the minor plaintiffs against the defendants with whom they have settled, and a Proposed Order for Approval of *Pro Ami* Settlement Agreement. Copies of these documents should be submitted to the Chambers of the undersigned ***no later than three business days*** prior to the hearing. Additionally, the Proposed Order for Approval of *Pro Ami* Settlement Agreement must be submitted by email to the undersigned at “PropOrd_fuller@almd.uscourts.gov” ***no later than three business days*** prior to the hearing.

DONE this the 10th day of August, 2007.

/s/ Mark E. Fuller
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE